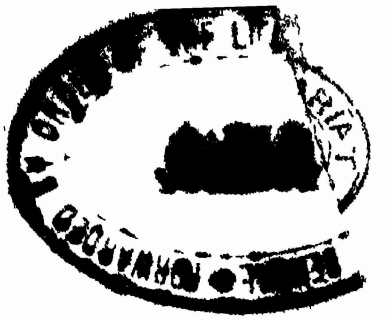

CIVIL STATEMENTS OF

THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES,

FOR

THE CALENDAR YEAR 1887,

WITH PREFATORY NOTE.

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ADMINISTRATION OF CIVIL JUSTICE

IN

THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES

DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1887.

I.—Courts subordinate to the High Court.

(*a.*)—*Original suits.*

1. The number of original suits instituted, disposed of, and pending in these courts during 1887, as compared with the two previous years, was as follows:—

	Suits.		
	Instituted.	Disposed of.	Pending.
1885	93,424	94,329	8,693
1886	95,158	97,939	7,675
1887	100,374	101,698	8,222

There was thus again an increase this year as compared with 1886 of 5,215 in institutions and of 3,759 in disposals. Considering the large increase in disposals in 1886 as compared with 1885, the continued increase in the year under report exhibits most creditable application to work on the part of the courts concerned.

2. Details of the increase and decrease in institutions for each district are as follows:—

District.	*Increase.*	*District.*	*Decrease.*
Meerut	1,600	Jaunpur	244
Moradabad	1,056	Mainpuri	234
Jhánsi	587	Bánda	130
Aligarh	580	Gházipur	86
Saháranpur	517	Farukhabad	71
Sháhjahánpur	413	Cawnpore	31
Allahabad	327		
Bareilly	295		
Gorakhpur	226		
Benares	160		
Agra	119		
Mirzapur	97		
Azamgarh	28		

3. In cases tried by Courts of Small Causes the most marked increase was at—

	Cases.
Allahabad	276
Aligarh	277
Meerut	141
Agra	122

while in the following districts there was a falling off—

	Cases.
Bareilly	180
Cawnpore	169
Farukhabad	153

4. The cause of the large increase in institution has not been explained in many of those districts where it is heaviest. In Jhánsi the reasons are said to be the cession of Jhánsi city to the British Government and the passing of the Jhánsi and Morar Act. The Judge of Saháranpur points out that in the Muzaffarnagar district the increase is largely in suits for title, and attributes it to settlement operations. In Meerut a large proportion of the increase is in the Gháziabad Munsifi, within the jurisdiction of which there are many indigo factories. Great numbers of *satta*-holders instituted suits towards the close of the year to save limitation.

5. The districts in which an increase and decrease in pending files are chiefly noticeable are—

Increase.	*Suits.*	*Decrease*	*Suits.*
Mirzapur	361	Allahabad	178
Sahárunpur	128	Jaunpur	175
Aligarh	117	Mainpuri	67
Gházipur	108	Cawnpore	56
		Farukhabad	49

In the following districts the number pending exceeded 500 :—

Gorakhpur	1,007
Sahárunpur	686
Cawnpore	569
Mirzapur	558
Meerut	529
Gházipur	551

6. The classes of suits in respect of which increase or decrease was most noticeable were :—

Increase.	*Suits.*	*Decrease.*	*Suits.*
To establish right to real property	2,297	Suits for moveable property ...	355
Contracts	1,286	Damages	149
Rent (not under Rent law) ...	345		
Goods sold	772		
Account stated	634		

The figures for the value of the subject-matter in dispute are—

	Rupees.
1885	2,53,09,969
1886	2,64,31,609
1887	2,27,48,290

7. Thus showing a falling off to the extent of Rs. 36,83,319. There was an increase in the number of suits under each value, but the average value fell from Rs. 277-7-0 in 1886 to Rs. 225-5-0 in 1887. This decrease is entirely in district courts other than the chief courts of districts. All others show an increase in valuation.

8. The percentage of contested suits to suits otherwise disposed of has fallen in 1887, and is as follows :—

	Suits.
1885	31·3
1886	29·7
1887	28·5

The following figures abstracted from Judicial Statement No. 9 show the variation between the figures of 1886 and 1887 in the manner of disposal of suits :—

Increase	*Suits.*	*Decrease*	*Suits.*
Without trial	767	Dismissed *ex-parte* ...	37
Compromised	407	Decreed on confession ...	139
Decreed *ex-parte* ...	2,889	Judgment for defendant after contest	164
Judgment for plaintiff after contest	40		

The large increase in suits decreed *ex-parte* is still noticeable. It occurs in all courts except those of Subordinate Judges, but chiefly in the courts of Munsifs. Generally speaking, a larger proportion of plaintiffs has been successful than in the previous year.

9. In contested suits the average duration has fallen from 62 to 59 days. The details for the different classes of courts are—

	No. of days.		
	1885.	1886.	1887.
Unpaid tribunals	45	30	41
Munsifs	59	61	57
Small Cause Courts	37	34	34
Subordinate Judges	113	119	130
District Judges	131	134	157

It is thus evident that the improvement in the time of disposal is due to quicker work by the Munsifs.

10. In uncontested suits it fell from 27 to 25 days.

(*b.*)—*Miscellaneous cases* (*Judicial*).

11. The number of such cases for disposal shows a steady increase, as in the case of suits, *viz.* :—

	Cases.
1884	20,221
1885	22,333
1886	22,620
1887	23,855

12. The increase of 1,235 in such cases is in—

	Cases.
Munsifs' courts...	912
Subordinate Judges' courts	139
Judges' courts	89

The other courts showing a slight diminution. Of these 562 more contested cases were decided than in 1886 and the pending file remained higher by only 183.

13. The average duration in this class has risen this year in contested cases from 37 to 43 days, and in uncontested cases has fallen from 29 to 27 days. Details for the different courts are as follows :—

	1886. *Days.*	1887. *Days.*
Munsifs	33	33
Small Cause Courts	30	36
Subordinate Judges	51	55
District Judges	54	100

The duration in the courts of District Judges in uncontested cases was high, being 54 days.

14. The most numerous and important of these cases were as follows :—

		Cases.
1.	Claims in respect of attached property	6,964
2.	Applications for delivery of possession	4,068
3.	Applications for restoration of suit or appeal	2,240
4.	Cases under section 244, Civil Procedure Code	2,106
5.	Cases under section 258, Civil Procedure Code	1,432
6.	Applications under section 83, Act IV, 1882	1,333
7.	Applications for certificates (Act XL, 1858)	826
8.	Applications in insolvency	492
9.	Applications *in formâ pauperis*	475
10.	Other applications (Act XL, 1858)	473
11.	Applications for certificates (Act XXVII, 1860)	457
12.	Criminal proceedings	417
13.	Commissions to examine witnesses...	377
14.	Applications for review (section 623)	352
15.	Orders rejecting plaints	234
16.	Applications for transfer	223
17.	Cases regarding intestates (section 7, Regulation V, 1799) ...	199
18.	Complaints (sections 328 and 334)	157

(*c.*)—*Appeals from decrees.*

15. The following figures exhibit the state of the appellate files of courts subordinate to the High Court for the last three years :—

	Suits—*For disposal.*	*Disposed of.*	*Pending.*
1885	14,471	10,956	3,515
1886	14,066	10,807	3,259
1887	14,248	9,858	4,390

16. The number disposed of was less by 949 than in the previous year and the number left pending was greater by 1,131.

17. Of the 9,858 appeals disposed of, the details were—

	Rent decisions.	*Sub-Judges' decisions.*	*Munsifs' decisions.*	*Total.*
By District Judges	779	1,126	2,339	4,244
„ Subordinate Judges	...	...	5,100	5,100
„ Small Cause Court Judges with Jurisdiction of Subordinate Judges	...	...	221	221
„ Commissioner and Deputy Comissioners, Jhánsi Division	...	...	...	293
Total ...	779	1,126	7,660	9,858

18. The number of appeals decided by District Judges themselves fell from 4,673 to 4,244. The greatest number were disposed of in—

District.	*No.*	*District*	*No.*
Jaunpur	443	Sháhjahánpur	335
Gházipur	391	Saháranpur	292
Meerut	366	Gorakhpur	272

Appeals from Rent Courts were high in Gházipur, 104; Aligarh, 76; Agra, 69; and Moradabad, 65.

The average number of appeals disposed of by Subordinate Judges was 319, as compared with 338 in 1886.

Bánda having no Munsif and the Munsif having been transferred from Mirzapur, the Subordinate Judges of these districts did no appellate work. The Subordinate Judges of the following districts disposed of a large number of appeals:—

District	*No.*	*District*	*No.*
Gorakhpur	829	Sháhjahánpur	459
Mainpuri	518	Moradabad	446

19. Of the 4,390 appeals pending at the close of the year, the details, as compared with those for 1885-86, are as follows:—

	Appeals.		
	1885.	1886.	1887.
Before Subordinate Judges	618	666	1,335
„ District Judges	2,867	2,591	3,046
„ Commissioner and Deputy Commissioners, Jhánsi Division	30	2	9

20. The following number was pending over three months, as compared with 1884, 1885 and 1886:—

	Appeals.			
	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Subordinate Judges	541	195	249	754
District Judges	1,044	846	962	1,357
Total ...	1,585	1,041	1,211	2,111

21. The average duration of appeals was as follows:—

	Days.
1884	101
1885	86
1886	86
1887	93

The figures for the different courts are—

	Days.			
	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.
Subordinate Judges	69	58	57	68
District Judges	139	119	123	126
Jhánsi Division	93	47	51	54

The duration is higher than it has been since 1884 and has risen in all courts.

22 Results of appeals, though not very different from previous years, are somewhat less favourable to the lower courts :—

	Upheld.	*Modified.*	*Reversed.*	*Remanded.*
1884	61	13	19	7
1885	60	14	18	7
1886	63	13	18	7
1887	60	14	19	7

23. The number of objections under section 561 of the Code remained much the same. The figures are—

1884	525
1885	418
1886	415
1887	423

24. The number of appeals summarily rejected fell from 61 to 49. Of these latter, 45 belonged to these Provinces and 4 to the Jhánsi Division.

(*d.*)—*Miscellaneous appeals* (*Judicial*).

25. The figures for the last three years in this class of appeal are—

	Appeals—		
	For disposal.	*Disposed of.*	*Pending.*
1885	1,165	943	222
1886	1,148	925	223
1887	1,149	885	264

26. Of disposals the following is the detail :—

	Disposals.		
	1885.	1886.	1887.
District Judges	913	896	791
Subordinate Judges	...	2	66
Commissioner and Deputy Commissioners, Jhánsi Division	30	27	28

27. The duration shows a considerable improvement which extends to each grade of courts, *viz.* :—

	Days.		
	1885.	1886.	1887.
Sub-Judges	...	62	56
District Judges	109	83	80
Jhánsi Division	46	39	30
Average ...	109	82	78

(*e.*)—*Execution of decrees.*

28. The following figures indicate the state of business under this head :—

	Decrees—		
	For disposal.	*Disposed of.*	*Pending.*
1885	116,779	104,052	12,727
1886	117,854	105,511	12,343
1887	117,270	104,641	12,629

29. Out of 6,921 decrees transferred for execution, 5,247 related to ancestral property, and were sent to Collectors under section 320 of the Code. Such transfers were most numerous in the same districts as in former years. The figures are—

Districts.	*Decrees.*	*Districts.*	*Decrees.*
Gorakhpur	623	Moradabad	463
Meerut	528	Aligarh	420
Agra	517	Mainpuri	418
Sháhjahánpur	496	Azamgarh	281
Saháranpur	483	Farukhabad	209

30. In respect of realization Rs. 4,08,548 more were realized with the aid of process, but Rs. 3,28,542 less without such aid, the net increase being thus Rs. 80,006.

31. The number of judgment-debtors arrested decreased slightly, but 18 more were imprisoned than in 1886.

Moveable property was sold in 81 and immoveable property in 187 cases in excess of the previous year.

(f.)—Witnesses.

32. The number of witnesses summoned in original suits was—

	No. of Witnesses.
1885	231,783
1886	244,104
1887	250,353

The number steadily increases year by year.

33. The number of parties and witnesses examined by the courts in 1885-87 was—

	Number.		
	1885.	1886.	1887.
Parties	18,132	20,342	23,303
Witnesses	127,891	124,385	125,004

The steady increase in the number of parties examined is satisfactory.

34. The amount of diet money paid to witnesses was as follows :—

	Amount. Rs.	Average per witness.
1885	1,15,742	8 annas odd.
1886	1,19,197	8 „ „
1887	1,22,839	8 „ „

(g.)—General result.

35. The following figures show the average amount of work done in 1887 by each class of court. In striking these averages the work done in Courts of Small Causes has been excluded.

DISTRICT JUDGES.

Original suits.	Miscellaneous. Execution of decrees.	Miscellaneous. Judicial.	Appeals. Regular.	Appeals. Miscellaneous.	Sessions trials.	Criminal appeals.	Criminal revisions.
4	38	123	223	42	74	303	74

SUBORDINATE JUDGES.

Suits. Withdrawn.	Suits. *Ex-parte.*	Suits. Contested.	Suits. Total.	Miscellaneous cases. Execution of decrees.	Miscellaneous cases. Judicial.	Appeals. Regular.	Appeals. Miscellaneous.
80	50	118	248	451	162	319	3

MUNSIFS.

Suits. Withdrawn.	Suits. *Ex-parte.*	Suits. Contested.	Suits. Total.	Miscellaneous. Execution of decrees.	Miscellaneous. Judicial.
463	320	350	1,133	1,222	219

It is noticed that the average number of regular appeals disposed of by District and Sub-Judges has decreased.

II.—HIGH COURT.

36. The following figures disclose the state of the work which came before the High Court during 1886 and 1887 respectively :—

	Pending.		Instituted.		Total.		Disposed of.		Pending.	
	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.
1. Original suits	...	1	4	1	4	2	3	...	1	2
2. Miscellaneous cases (Judicial),	56	42	251	286	307	328	265	252	42	76
3. First appeals in suits ...	204	275	219	232	423	507	148	243	275	264
4. Second appeals in suits ...	1,693	2,117	2,340	1,931	4,033	4,048	1,916	1,770	2,117	2,278
5. Appeals under sec. 10 L. P. ...	1	3	4	15	5	18	2	8	3	10
6. First appeals from orders ...	68	53	241	160	309	213	256	154	53	59
*7. Second appeals from orders ...	34	2	96	...	130	2	128	2	2	...

* Second appeals from orders under section 244, Civil Procedure Code, have since July of this year been registered as second appeals from decrees (*vide* section 2, Civil Procedure Code, definition of "decree").

37. Institutions in the matter of first appeals show a slight increase, but the decrease in the number of second appeals is considerable (409).

38. The average duration of cases calculated in days for 1885-87 was as follows :—

		1885.	1886.	1887.
Head 2	Contested	106	82	84
	Uncontested	70	49	66
„ 3	... ...	359	282	379
„ 4	... ...	313	293	309
„ 6	... ...	139	86	88
„ 7	... ...	147	84	86

These figures, though slightly better than those for 1885, fall short of 1886, particularly in the case of first appeals.

39. The following figures exhibit the grades of value of first appeals in suits instituted during the year :—

	Appeals.
Not exceeding Rs. 100	9
Above Rs. 100 and less than Rs. 1,000	19
„ „ 1,000 „ „ „ „ 2,500	46
„ „ 2,500 „ „ „ „ 5,000	40
„ „ 5,000 „ „ „ „ 10,000	39
„ „ 10,000 „ „ „ „ 1,00,000	49
Exceeding Rs. 1,00,000	6
Admitting of no valuation	24
Total ...	232

40. Details of those which were pending at the close of the year were :—

Year of institution.	*Number.*
1884	3
1885	11
1886	55
1887	195
Total ...	264

Thus exhibiting a somewhat better result than the previous year, when there were 81 appeals of over a year's standing against 69 in 1887; but the arrears are still heavy compared with 1885.

41. The valuation of second appeals filed during 1886 was as follows :—

	Appeals.
Not exceeding Rs. 10	139
Above Rs. 10 and not exceeding Rs. 50	407
„ „ 50 „ „ „ „ 100	286
„ „ 100 „ „ „ „ 500	643
„ „ 500 „ „ „ „ 1,000	215
„ „ 1,000 „ „ „ „ 2,500	171
„ „ 2,500 „ „ „ „ 5,000	51
Exceeding Rs. 5,000	3
Admitting of no valuation	16
Total ...	1,931

It will be noticed that more than 43 per cent. of this class of appeals relate to property of less than Rs. 100 in value, and all such appeals are now under a recent rule of Court heard and disposed of by a Judge sitting singly.

42. Those pending at the close of the year were of the following standing :—

Year of institution.	*Appeals.*
1885	18
1886	572
1887	1,688
Total ...	2,278

There were thus 590 of more than a year's standing compared with 142 at the close of 1886 and 68 in the year previous to that.

43. The following figures give the general result of the first and second appeals which were disposed of during the year :—

		F. A.	S. A.
Without trial		1	206
Without contest...	Confirmed	7	22
	Modified	...	1
	Reversed	...	2
	Remanded	...	4
	Total ...	7	29
	Confirmed	152	1,210
	Modified	30	37
	Reversed	43	145
	Remanded under section 562, C. P. C. ...	10	143
	Total ...	235	1,535

Of contested cases in first appeals 64 per cent. were confirmed as against 43 per cent. last year, and in second appeals 79 per cent. against 76 per cent. in 1886.

44. Of miscellaneous cases, 108 against 67 in 1886 were petitions under section 622 of the Code, and 44 were applications for review of judgment.

45. The following statement shows the figures regarding applications presented to the Court for leave to appeal to Her Majesty in Privy Council during the year 1887 :—

Pending at the beginning of the year.	Received during the year.	Total for disposal.	Disposed of during the year.				Pending at the close of the year.
			Admitted	Rejected.	Dismissed for default, withdrawn, compromised or struck off for non-payment of security, &c.	Total.	
8	22	30	3	8	8	19	11

During 1887 the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council decided on appeal five cases from this High Court, in four of which the judgments of this Court were confirmed, and in one reversed.

III.—General.

(*a.*)—*Income.*

46. The following are the figures showing the total income of the civil courts of these Provinces :—

Year.	Rs.
1884	22,63,581
1885	24,07,003
1886	24,03,930
1887	24,58,213

47. Nearly every heading shows some increase.

The figures for subordinate courts for three years are :—

Year.	Rs.
1885	15,94,728
1886	15,03,271
1887	16,28,344

48. There has been a decrease in the amount of refunds (statement G, column 8).

The amount recovered in the taxing office at the High Court on account of deficiency in court fees since 1879 has been :—

Year.	Rs. a. p.
1879	9,273 4 6
1880	17,537 13 0
1881	5,539 4 0
1882	5,527 14 0
1883	8,516 12 0
1884	4,537 6 0
1885	6,923 10 0
1886	9,588 6 0
1887	9,188 2 0

49. As regards the income from "duty and penalties on instruments not duly stamped," there is an increase of Rs. 694. The districts in which the courts seem to have been most active in this respect in 1887 are—

District.	1886. Rs.	1887. Rs.
Meerut	1,056	978
Cawnpore	769	1,026
Agra	319	658

50. There has been a decrease in fines from Rs. 1,835 to Rs. 1,519.

51. The income from "amins' fees" shows an increase of Rs. 5,224.

52. The income from "other fees" (process) exhibits again this year an increase of Rs. 12,556 in lower courts : there has been a decrease of Rs. 2,249 in the High Court. Till 1883 there had been a gradual falling off (*vide* para. 45 of the Note for 1883).

53. Under the head "Judicial Record Fund" there is an increase of Rs. 2,836 in lower courts, but a decrease of Rs. 362 in the High Court. There was a marked increase and decrease in the following districts :—

	Increase. Rs.		*Decrease.* Rs.
Jaunpur	970	Azamgarh	1,271
Moradabad	856		
Allahabad	717		

The decrease at Azamgarh is attributed to (*a*) fluctuations in work, and (*b*) judgments having been written in vernacular instead of in English.

54. The proceeds of the sale of unclaimed property of intestates, the amount of which necessarily varies from year to year, show an increase of Rs. 768. In Cawnpore and Saháranpur the largest amounts (Rs. 1,485 and Rs. 1,068 respectively) were realized.

(*b.*)—*Expenditure.*

55. There has been a decrease this year in the total amount of expenditure, as compared with the previous year. Under head "Salaries" it amounts to Rs. 22,876. The only district which shows a deficit is Bánda.

56. The expenditure in the High Court shows an increase of Rs. 4,501. There is a deficit in the High Court alone of Rs. 1,98,870.

(*c.*)—*General.*

57. The net result for the Provinces, after deduction of the total expenditure from the total income, shows for the years 1884-87 a gain to Government as follows :—

Year.	Rs.	a.	p.
1884	6,71,757	8	7
1885	8,50,781	7	5
1886	8,27,388	10	0
1887	8,95,102	13	0

Thus, despite the increased expenditure in the High Court, the surplus exceeds that of 1886 or previous years.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
ALLAHABAD :
The 6th June, 1888.

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Offg. Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 1.—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the number of judicial divisions and the number of officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction in the North-Western Provinces on the last day of the year 1887, with the cost of tribunals.

Name of province.	Area.	Population.	Number of divisions for courts under chief courts, but superior to chief courts of districts.	Number of districts.	Number of sub-districts.	TOTAL NUMBER OF OFFICERS EXERCISING ORIGINAL OR APPELLATE JURISDICTION.					TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DECIDED.				Total receipts of the courts.	Total charges of the courts.	Remarks.
						Judges of chief court of province.	Judges of other courts superior to chief district courts.	Judges of chief courts of districts.	Judges of district courts other than chief courts.	Judges of other subordinate courts.	*Original.*		*Appeals.*				
											Regular.	Miscellaneous.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Territory in the North-Western Provinces subject to the civil jurisdiction of the High Court.	S. M.																
Unscheduled districts	76,675	30,014,075	...	18	66	5	...	18	20	77	1,01,698	21,753	11,879	1,041	...	...	
Scheduled districts of Jhánsi, Jalaun and Lalitpur.	5,076	9,92,748	1	3	13		1	3	12	13							
Total ...	81,751	31,006,823	1	21	79	5	1	21	32	90	1,01,698	21,753	11,879	1,041	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 7—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the number and description of civil suits instituted in the civil courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

Class of tribunals.	SUITS FOR MONEY OR MOVEABLE PROPERTY.										TITLE AND OTHER SUITS.																		Grand Total.	Remarks.
	Contract in writing.	Contract not in writing.	On account stated.	Money had and received.	Goods sold.	Wages, work and materials.	Rent not falling under the rent law.	Moveable property or value thereof.	Damages.	Other suits for money or moveables not already mentioned.	Suits for immoveable property.	Suits for declaratory decrees.	Other suits under the Specific Relief Act.	Suits to declare and establish rights to real property, including preemption, foreclosure, &c.	Suits to declare and establish personal rights.	Suits for an account.	Suits relating to religious endowments.	Suits to set aside judgments, contracts, or obligations on the ground of fraud.	Suits for dissolution of marriage.	Suits for enforcement of matrimonial rights.	Suits for partition.	Suits relating to shipping.	Suits relating to religion and caste.	Administration suits.	Interpleader suits.	Dissolution of partnership.	Suits under section 261, Act X of 1865, also Hindu Wills Act.	Other suits not falling under any of the previous heads.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.																														
I.—*Civil Courts.*																														
Unpaid tribunals ...	30	3	6	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	
Paid sub-divisional tribunals ...	44,920	5,049	2,173	146	2,072	357	1,849	1,832	1,664	868	9,566	592	449	5,160	117	52	4	249	13	209	307	...	3	...	1	11	...	110	77,773	
Small cause courts ...	7,911	2,087	1,352	157	3,225	539	691	572	313	128	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,925	
District courts other than Chief courts of districts.	2,371	244	264	19	51	24	62	62	75	55	1,213	104	48	745	49	33	3	46	1	20	29	...	5	...	1	9	...	54	5,587	
Chief courts of districts ...	11	2	4	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	5	...	...	6	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	3	45	
Total ...	55,243	7,385	3,799	322	5,348	921	2,603	2,469	2,054	1,051	10,784	696	497	5,911	166	86	7	295	20	229	336	...	8	1	2	23	...	167	1,00,373	
Superior courts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 8—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the number and value of suits instituted in the civil courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

Value of suits.	NUMBER OF SUITS INSTITUTED IN DIFFERENT COURTS.									Total value of suits.	Remarks.
	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Not exceeding Rs. 5,000.	Not exceeding Rs. 10,000.	Exceeding Rs. 10,000.	Number of suits the value of which cannot be estimated in money.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.											
I.—Civil Courts.											
Unpaid tribunals	4	29	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	1,821	
Paid sub-divisional tribunals	6,319	33,994	17,803	16,826	2,644	...	...	...	187	77,24,807	
Small cause courts	2,784	9,710	2,377	2,054	...	...	...	...	...	8,34,911	
District courts other than chief courts of districts,	213	1,056	577	777	143	2,347	268	198	3	1,36,83,712	
Chief courts of districts	3	4	1	10	5	7	4	4	7	5,03,039	
Total ...	9,323	44,793	20,765	19,669	2,797	2,354	272	202	197	2,27,48,290	
Superior courts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 9.—(CIVIL)

Statement showing the general result of the trial of civil cases in the courts of original jurisdiction in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

PART I.—CIVIL SUITS.

Class of courts.	Total number of suits before the courts.	Number of suits disposed of: Transferred to courts in other provinces.	Without trial.	Without contest: Compromised.	Decreed on confession.	Decreed ex-parte.	Dismissed ex-parte.	On reference to arbitration: For plaintiff.	For defendant.	With contest: Judgment for plaintiff in whole or in part.	Judgment for defendant.	Pending at the close of the year.	Number of cases pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Average duration of suits: Contested.	Uncontested.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.																
I.—Civil Courts.																
Unpaid tribunals	45	...	12	2	11	17	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	41	18	
Paid sub-divisional tribunals	84,898	...	10,589	15,865	7,346	21,358	379	661	277	16,145	7,095	5,183	1,038	57	24	
Small cause courts	17,922	...	2,726	2,354	2,390	5,447	91	97	40	2,310	1,055	1,412	166	34	29	
District courts other than chief courts of districts	6,917	...	633	695	560	1,029	30	64	12	1,614	724	1,586	685	130	52	
Chief courts of districts	136	...	16	5	3	4	1	1	...	38	31	37	11	157	90	
Total	1,09,918	...	13,976	18,891	10,310	27,855	501	823	329	20,108	8,905	8,220	1,900	59	25	
Superior courts	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL	1,09,920	...	13,976	18,891	10,310	27,855	501	823	329	20,108	8,905	8,222	1,902	59	25	

PART II.—MISCELLANEOUS CASES (JUDICIAL).

COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.																
I.—Civil Courts.																
Unpaid tribunals	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	23	...	
Paid sub-divisional tribunals	16,451	...	2,148	1,051	379	3,685	281	17	10	4,282	3,169	1,429	197	33	23	
Small cause courts	842	...	124	46	20	62	24	...	1	260	217	88	8	36	26	
District courts other than chief courts of districts	3,673	...	443	89	67	384	91	...	7	734	855	403	118	56	27	
Chief courts of districts	2,887	...	454	22	3	1,198	112	...	...	370	294	434	124	100	54	
Total	23,855	...	3,169	1,208	469	5,929	508	17	18	5,648	4,535	2,354	447	43	27	
Superior courts	328	...	105	3	6	26	9	...	...	32	71	76	40	64	66	
GRAND TOTAL	24,183	...	3,274	1,211	475	5,955	517	17	18	5,680	4,606	2,430	487	43	27	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 10—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the business of the civil appellate courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

PART I.—APPEALS FROM DECREES.

Class of courts.	Total number of appeals before the courts.	Transferred to courts in other provinces.	Appeals summarily rejected.	Dismissed for default or otherwise not prosecuted.	Heard *ex-parte*.				Contested.				Pending.	Of these pending more than three months.	Average duration of appeals.	Objections under section 561, Act XIV. of 1882.	Remarks.
					Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Remanded.	Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Remanded.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.																	
A.—Civil Courts.																	
Chief appellate courts other than chief courts of districts ...	6,656	...	...	85	52	19	30	12	3,082	672	976	393	1,335	754	68	199	
Chief appellate courts of districts	7,505	...	45	158	34	26	22	9	2,446	654	836	229	3,046	1,357	126	224	
Superior appellate courts other than chief courts of province ...	87	...	4	6	1	...	...	...	40	4	10	13	9	...	54	...	
Total ...	14,248	...	49	249	87	45	52	21	5,568	1,330	1,822	635	4,390	2,111	93	423	
Courts at the presidency or seat of Government.																	
Chief court of province ... Appeals from original decrees	507	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	152	30	43	10	264	163	379	16	
Appeals from appellate decrees	4,048	...	147	59	22	1	2	4	1,210	37	145	143	2,278	1,866	309	71	
Appeals under section 10 of the letters patent ...	18	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	10	10	200	...	
Total ...	4,573	...	150	59	29	1	2	4	1,367	68	188	153	2,552	2,039	307	87	
GRAND TOTAL ...	18,821	...	199	308	116	46	54	25	6,935	1,398	2,010	788	6,942	4,150	127	510	

PART II.—MISCELLANEOUS APPEALS (JUDICIAL.)

COURTS IN THE INTERIOR.																	
C.—Civil Courts.																	
Chief appellate courts other than chief courts of districts ...	95	...	...	4	4	...	2	1	32	..	18	5	29	8	56	3	
Chief appellate courts of districts	1,046	...	50	47	43	1	25	5	400	23	170	48	234	109	80	7	
Superior appellate courts other than chief courts of province ...	8	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	30	...	
Total ...	1,149	...	50	54	47	1	27	6	434	23	189	54	264	117	78	10	
Courts at the presidency or seat of Government.																	
Chief court of province. First appeals	213	...	2	12	8	...	10	2	75	...	32	13	59	44	88	...	
Second appeals	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	86	...	
Total ...	215	...	2	12	8	...	10	2	77	...	32	13	59	44	88	...	
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,364	...	52	66	55	1	37	8	511	23	221	67	323	161	79	10	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 11—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the result of proceedings on applications for the execution of the decrees of the civil courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

Class of courts.	Total number of applications for the execution of decrees before the courts.	Applications disposed of.				Pending at the end of the year.	Number of applications pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Amount realised.		Number of applications.												Remarks.
		By transfer.	Satisfaction obtained in full.	Satisfaction obtained in part.	Wholly infructuous.			With the issue of process.	Without the issue of process.	On which the judgment debtor was imprisoned.	On which he was arrested, but released without imprisonment.	On which moveable property: Was sold.	On which moveable property: Was attached, but subsequently released.	On which immoveable property: Was sold.	On which immoveable property: Was dealt with under section 305, 322, or 326, Act XIV. of 1882.	On which immoveable property: Was attached but subsequently released under section 275.	On which possession was given: Of moveables.	On which possession was given: Of immoveables.	On which specific performance was enforced.	On which partition was effected.	On which execution was effected otherwise than on the preceding columns.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
COURTS IN THE INTERIOR. *Civil Courts.*																						
Unpaid tribunals	23	...	2	6	14	1	...	215	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Paid sub-divisional tribunals. ...	93,806	4,904	14,381	12,313	52,750	9,458	3,076	14,33,624	2,85,673	653	2,059	1,510	2,350	3,799	176	2,554	70	3,116	6	283	110	
Small cause courts	11,795	422	2,058	1,206	7,114	995	324	1,67,224	20,150	198	1,007	193	220	7	...	1	2	9	...	...	1	
District courts other than chief courts of districts.	10,814	1,099	1,726	1,733	4,166	2,090	918	23,58,190	3,23,760	71	170	131	146	600	37	278	4	500	7	12	83	
Chief courts of districts	832	496	81	53	117	85	36	79,422	28,307	2	3	16	6	19	1	9	...	11	...	...	...	
Total ...	1,17,270	6,921	18,248	15,311	64,161	12,629	4,354	40,38,675	6,57,890	924	3,239	1,852	2,723	4,426	214	2,836	76	3,636	15	295	196	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 12—(CIVIL).

Statement showing the number and result of applications and proceedings under Chapter XX., Act XIV. of 1882, *in the North-Western Provinces in the year* 1887.

Class of courts.	Applications for a declaration of insolvency.								Number of insolvents discharged during the year under section 355.	Number of insolvents' estates in the hands of receivers in which proceedings were finally closed during the year.	Amount of creditors' claims dealt with during the year.		Gross amount of insolvents' assets realised and disbursed.		Remarks.
	Total number for hearing.	Transferred to another province, withdrawn, &c.	Granted: A receiver being appointed.	Granted: A receiver not being appointed.	Rejected: Penal proceedings under section 359 not being taken.	Rejected: Sentence of imprisonment being passed under section 356.	Rejected: Applicant being sent to the Magistrate to be dealt with.	Pending at the close of the year.			Admitted.	Satisfied.	Realised during the year.	Disbursed during the year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Courts other than chief courts of Districts.	103	29	13	15	20	...	...	26	17	6	5,929	7,551	2,671	2,671	
Chief courts of districts ...	315	73	29	62	74	7	...	70	74	14	2,47,399	33,131	38,849	34,388	
Superior courts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
Total ...	418	102	42	77	94	7	...	96	91	20	2,53,328	40,682	41,520	37,059	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 13.—(CIVIL.)

Statement showing use of juries and assessors in the civil courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1887.

Classes of courts in which jurors or assessors are employed, distinguishing criminal from civil courts.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	JURY TRIALS.					ASSESSORS' TRIALS.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	*Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.*		*Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved.*		Number of cases in which the Judge agreed with assessors.	*Number of cases in which the Judge differed from*		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 307, Code of Criminal Procedure.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 307, Code of Criminal Procedure.		One assessor.	Both assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I.—CIVIL COURTS.												
Chief courts of districts acting under Act X. of 1870 — Assessors ...	2	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	6	
Total ...	2	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	6	

A.—*Showing original suits instituted, disposed of, and pending in civil courts in the past as compared with the preceding year.*

District.	Court.	Instituted.		Disposed of.		Pending.		Remarks.
		1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.	1886.	1887.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Saháranpur ...	Reg. ...	5,180	5,677	5,350	5,745	261	332	
	S. C. ...	2,638	2,658	2,506	2,603	297	354	
Total ...		7,818	8,335	7,856	8,348	558	686	
Meerut	Reg. ...	6,632	8,091	6,627	8,189	439	449	
	S. C. ...	1,333	1,474	1,398	1,485	69	80	
Total ...		7,965	9,565	8,025	9,674	508	529	
Aligarh	Reg. ...	5,455	5,774	5,603	5,778	301	375	
	S. C. ...	385	652	389	643	8	51	
Total ...		5,840	6,426	5,992	6,421	309	426	
Moradabad ...	Reg. ...	6,720	7,776	7,147	7,959	441	399	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		6,720	7,776	7,147	7,959	441	399	
Bareilly	Reg. ...	4,063	4,538	4,260	4,627	191	205	
	S. C. ...	511	331	433	301	24	56	
Total ...		4,574	4,869	4,693	4,928	215	260	
Sháhjahánpur ...	Reg. ...	6,508	6,921	6,732	6,879	278	392	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		6,508	6,921	6,732	6,879	278	392	
Agra	Reg. ...	4,401	4,398	4,421	4,474	297	303	
	S. C. ...	2,412	2,534	2,449	2,493	80	137	
Total ...		6,813	6,932	6,870	6,967	377	440	
Farukhabad ...	Reg. ...	3,463	3,545	3,598	3,565	172	191	
	S. C. ...	716	563	711	635	78	10	
Total ...		4,179	4,108	4,309	4,200	250	201	
Mainpuri	Reg. ...	7,169	6,935	7,358	7,094	333	266	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		7,169	6,935	7,358	7,094	333	266	
Jhánsi Division ...	Reg. ...	4,551	5,136	4,617	5,289	442	484	
	S. C. ...	67	69	67	69	1	4	
Total ...		4,618	5,205	4,684	5,358	443	488	
Cawnpore	Reg. ...	4,322	4,460	4,513	4,611	539	476	
	S. C. ...	1,169	1,000	1,199	1,034	86	93	
Total ...		5,491	5,460	5,712	5,645	625	569	
Bánda	Reg. ...	1,807	1,677	1,880	1,666	127	152	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		1,807	1,677	1,880	1,666	127	152	
Allahabad	Reg. ...	2,178	2,229	2,164	2,438	531	368	
	S. C. ...	2,394	2,670	2,459	2,705	145	130	
Total ...		4,572	4,899	4,623	5,143	676	498	
Jaunpur	Reg. ...	2,114	1,958	2,325	2,187	375	198	
	S. C. ...	820	732	932	738	12	14	
Total ...		2,934	2,690	3,257	2,925	387	212	
Gorakhpur ...	Reg. ...	6,340	6,566	6,307	6,667	984	1,007	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		6,340	6,566	6,307	6,667	984	1,007	
Azamgarh ...	Reg. ...	2,075	2,103	2,221	2,114	253	286	
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		2,075	2,103	2,221	2,114	253	286	
Mirzapur	Reg. ...	517	564	563	643	84	217	
	S. C. ...	1,621	1,671	1,594	1,238	113	341	
Total ...		2,138	2,235	2,157	1,881	197	558	
Benares	Reg. ...	1,209	1,339	1,251	1,393	132	122	
	S. C. ...	2,190	2,220	2,193	2,209	139	178	
Total ..		3,399	3,559	3,444	3,602	271	300	
Gházipur	Reg. ...	3,896	3,780	4,372	3,894	433	541	
	S. C. ...	302	332	300	333	10	10	
Total ...	...	4,198	4,112	4,672	4,227	443	551	
High Court, N.-W. P., ...	...	4	1	3	...	1	2	
GRAND TOTAL ...	...	95,162	1,00,374	97,942	1,01,698	7,676	8,222	

B.—*Showing the work done by District Judges in* 1887, *in the unscheduled districts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Original suits.	Miscellaneous cases.		Appeals.					Sessions trials.	Criminal appeals.	Criminal applications for revision.
		Applications for execution of decrees.	Judicial.	*Regular.*							
				Sub-Judge.	Munsif.	Rent court.	Total.	Miscellaneous.			
Saháranpur	18	6	224	67	178	47	292	56	78	475	96
Meerut	....	7	214	42	277	47	366	60	68	439	126
Aligarh	...	85	113	45	16	76	137	51	59	424	95
Moradabad (District Judge) ...	...	44	101	43	115	65	223	97	74	234	50
Ditto (Additional Judge) ...	...	...	...	3	268	...	271	...	75	400	38
Bareilly	2	201	104	49	62	33	144	53	87	375	70
Sháhjahánpur	3	1	80	75	199	61	335	11	55	282	35
Agra	4	16	129	28	22	69	119	76	129	235	44
Farukhabad	...	...	125	17	90	20	127	30	34	283	63
Mainpuri	3	4	119	56	15	57	128	65	89	283	61
Cawnpore	6	21	109	83	19	48	150	24	152	268	62
Bánda	...	22	67	66	49	28	143	7	91	248	82
Allahabad	2	59	202	140	21	34	195	15	80	239	56
Jaunpur ... Reg.	1	39	67	130	291	22	443	5	24	234	68
Jaunpur ... S. C.	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur		48	139	59	189	24	272	96	84	280	143
Azamgarh		12	92	92	137	21	250	57	59	216	62
Mirzapur ... Reg.	21	29	56	31	29	13	73	14	34	187	69
Mirzapur ... S. C.	209	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Benares	3	70	251	22	153	10	185	24	78	310	151
Gházipur	5	45	149	78	209	104	391	50	57	344	48
Total ...	279	763	2,341	1,126	2,339	779	4,244	791	1,402	5,756	1,419

C.—Showing the work done by Subordinate Judges in 1887, in the unscheduled districts of the North-Western Provinces.

District.	Court.	Suits.				Miscellaneous cases.		Appeals.	
		Withdrawn, &c.	Decided *ex-parte*.	Contested.	Total.	Application of execution of decrees.	Judicial.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.
Sahárunpur	Reg. ...	34	37	109	180	406	158	176	...
	S. C. ...	132	81	97	310	261	19	...	...
Meerut	Reg. ...	93	67	116	276	566	193	155	...
	S. C. ...	496	263	199	958	542	31	...	...
Aligarh	Reg. ...	50	82	77	209	720	286	240	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad	Reg. ...	34	39	146	219	476	153	446	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	Reg. ...	25	40	123	188	406	164	353	...
Sháhjahánpur	Reg. ...	35	31	69	135	327	137	459	2
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra	Reg. ...	41	37	58	136	378	114	291	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad	Reg. ...	28	6	40	74	198	71	180	...
	S. C. ...	295	197	143	635	370	16	...	...
Mainpuri	Reg. ...	22	50	117	189	524	185	518	7
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore	Reg. ...	36	34	128	198	391	277	320	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda	Reg. ...	393	216	202	811	821	128	...	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	Reg. ...	94	51	105	250	522	186	109	6
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jaunpur	Reg. ...	111	37	166	314	427	164	327	...
	S. C. ...	379	154	205	738	491	35	...	...
Gorakhpur	Reg. ...	80	40	165	285	651	163	829	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	Reg. ...	89	50	181	320	442	130	172	...
	S. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur	Reg. ...	185	66	148	399	356	200	1	...
	S. C. ...	652	296	249	1,197	1,045	57	...	...
Gházipur — Sub-Judge ...	Reg. ...	20	9	82	111	223	120	213	36
Gházipur — Additional Subordinate Judge.	Reg. ...	60	12	95	167	290	86	311	8
Total ...	...	3,384	1,895	3,020	8,299	10,833	3,073	5,100	59

D.—*Showing the work done by Munsifs in 1887, in the unscheduled districts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Munsifi.	Court.	Suits.				Miscellaneous cases.	
			Withdrawn, compromised, confessed, &c.	Decided *ex-parte*.	Contested.	Total.	Application for execution of decrees.	Judicial.
Saháranpur ...	Shamli	Reg. ...	475	335	319	1,129	1,318	214
	Deoband	„ ...	572	401	364	1,337	1,310	386
	Muzaffarnagar ...	„ ...	699	470	396	1,565	1,467	314
	Saháranpur	„ ...	632	343	393	1,368	1,419	342
		S. C. ...	182	116	107	405	97	15
	Total ...	...	2,560	1,665	1,579	5,804	5,611	1,271
Meerut ...	Ghaziabad	Reg. ...	1,147	867	362	2,376	1,523	252
	Meerut	„ ...	704	525	558	1,787	2,275	370
	Bulandshahr	„ ...	826	848	341	2,015	1,852	215
	Khurja	„ ...	725	636	374	1,735	1,842	247
	Total ...	...	3,402	2,876	1,635	7,913	7,492	1,084
Aligarh ...	Aligarh (Koil) ...	Reg. ...	299	312	285	896	1,068	286
		S. C. ...	256	214	87	557	565	14
	Aligarh (Haveli) ...	Reg. ...	501	530	252	1,283	1,641	253
		S. C. ...	14	24	6	44	...	...
	Hathras	Reg. ...	449	398	298	1,145	1,168	180
		S. C. ...	12	20	10	42	3	...
	Jalesar	Reg. ...	278	653	348	1,279	1,615	164
	Kasganj	„ ...	122	511	333	966	1,149	157
	Total ...	...	1,931	2,662	1,619	6,212	8,109	1,054
Moradabad ...	Moradabad (city) ...	Reg. ...	259	212	237	708	843	122
	Moradabad (Haveli) ...	„ ...	220	155	344	719	920	102
	Sambhal	„ ...	572	164	296	1,032	947	138
	Chandausi	„ ...	650	429	418	1,497	1,094	140
	Amroha	„ ...	663	334	469	1,466	1,606	232
	Bijnor	„ ...	361	305	259	925	1,272	262
	Nagina	„ ...	692	303	398	1,393	1,532	258
	Total ...	...	3,417	1,902	2,421	7,740	8,214	1,249
Bareilly ...	Bareilly (Haveli) ...	Reg. ...	586	456	446	1,488	1,761	281
		S. C. ...	112	96	32	240	100	5
	Bareilly (city) ...	Reg. ...	449	350	425	1,224	910	212
	Pilibhit	„ ...	377	176	231	784	583	96
	Bisalpur	„ ...	370	293	278	941	855	96
	Total ...	...	1,894	1,371	1,412	4,677	4,209	690
Shahjahánpur ...	Shahjahánpur ...	Reg. ...	494	279	427	1,200	880	208
	Tilhar	„ ...	312	414	290	1,046	884	164
	Pawayan	„ ...	261	117	166	544	493	90
	West Budaun	„ ...	502	342	371	1,215	1,185	288
	East Budaun	„ ...	316	290	315	921	772	162
	Bisauli	„ ...	405	348	347	1,100	1,389	167
	Sahaswan	„ ...	347	224	144	715	819	111
	Total ...	...	2,667	2,014	2,060	6,741	6,422	1,190
Agra ...	Muttra	Reg. ...	816	472	477	1,765	1,639	235
	Fatehabad	„ ...	281	185	170	636	627	122
	Mahaban	„ ...	462	333	291	1,086	1,649	260
	Agra	„ ...	327	230	287	844	1,525	495
	Total ...	...	1,886	1,220	1,225	4,331	5,440	1,112
Farukhabad ...	Farukhabad	Reg. ...	220	195	248	663	834	224
	Kaimganj	„ ...	369	521	310	1,200	1,137	101
	Chibramau	„ ...	331	358	157	846	1,132	154
	Kanauj	„ ...	251	220	311	782	1,085	187
	Total ...	...	1,171	1,294	1,026	3,491	4,188	666

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D.—*Showing the work done by Munsifs in* 1887, *in the unscheduled districts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Munsif.	Court.	Suits.				Miscellaneous cases.	
			Withdrawn, compromised, confessed, &c.	Decided *ex-parte*.	Contested.	Total.	Application for execution of decrees.	Judicial.
Mainpuri	Mainpuri	Reg. ...	865	630	525	2,020	2,281	456
	Shikohabad	„ ...	516	346	257	1,119	1,850	194
	Etah	„ ...	432	397	271	1,100	1,341	203
	Etáwah	„ ...	505	511	278	1,294	1,180	147
	Phaphúnd	„ ...	685	442	242	1,369	1,169	176
	Total ...	...	3,003	2,326	1,573	6,902	7,821	1,176
Cawnpore	Cawnpore (city) ...	Reg. ...	345	374	385	1,104	870	275
		S. C. ...	310	312	229	851	437	64
	Cawnpore (Haveli) ...	Reg. ...	516	379	384	1,279	1,134	193
	Akbarpur	„ ...	378	227	265	870	866	110
	Fatehpur	„ ...	554	150	450	1,154	1,326	217
	Total ...	...	2,103	1,442	1,713	5,258	4,633	859
Bánda ...	Hamírpur	Reg. ...	390	287	178	855	814	105
Allahabad ...	Allahabad, 1st and 2nd ...	„ ...	921	476	712	2,109	2,154	546
Jaunpur ...	Mariahu	„ ...	468	180	392	1,040	860	207
	Jaunpur	„ ...	222	45	565	832	882	212
	Total ...	...	690	225	957	1,872	1,742	419
Gorakhpur	Gorakhpur	Reg. ...	950	299	461	1,710	2,148	279
	Deoria	„ ...	620	212	558	1,390	1,828	200
	Bansgaon	„ ...	647	175	569	1,391	1,488	201
	Basti	„ ...	500	169	653	1,322	1,383	395
	Bánsi	„ ...	250	122	196	568	653	155
	Total ...	...	2,967	977	2,437	6,381	7,500	1,230
Azamgarh ...	Muhamdabad ...	Reg. ...	406	118	482	1,006	1,202	146
	Azamgarh	„ ...	329	119	339	787	1,025	203
	Total ...	...	735	237	821	1,793	2,227	349
Benares ...	Benares	Reg. ...	421	368	416	1,205	1,441	387
Mirzapur ...	Mirzapur	„ ...	8	2	4	14	129	...
		S. C. ...	21	9	11	41	54	...
	Total ...	...	29	11	15	55	183	...
Gházipur	Gházipur	Reg. ...	260	70	288	618	674	260
		S. C. ...	160	68	105	333	182	...
	Ballia	Reg. ...	320	175	526	1,021	1,515	325
	Korantadih	„ ...	226	103	259	588	806	208
	Rasra	„ ...	238	113	488	839	1,209	244
	Sayyidpur	„ ...	247	56	242	545	629	165
	Total ...	...	1,451	585	1,908	3,944	5,015	1,202
	Grand Total ...	...	31,638	21,938	23,707	77,283	83,215	14,589

E.—*Showing the work done by courts of small causes in* 1887, *in the unscheduled districts of the North-Western Provinces.*

Districts.	Courts.	Powers.	Suits.				Miscellaneous cases.		Appeals.	
			Withdrawn, compromised, confessed, &c.	Decided *ex-parte*.	Contested.	Total.	Applications for execution of decrees.	Judicial.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.
Saháranpur ...	Roorki (cantonment and civil station).	...	121	21	31	173	41	1	...	...
	Dehra	S. C. ...	690	742	297	1,729	908	49	...	...
		S. J. ...	66	16	52	134	146	23	...	...
	Total ...	...	877	779	380	2,036	1,185	73	...	...
Meerut ...	Meerut (Cantonment ...	...	180	223	124	527	239	35	...	...
Bareilly ...	Bareilly (Cantonment) ...	...	20	22	19	61	31	...	...	...
Agra ...	Agra (Cantonment) ...	...	145	80	65	290	103	10	...	...
	Agra	S. C. ...	1,156	650	397	2,203	1,872	143	...	...
		S. J. ...	...	1	2	3	14	13	54	...
	Total ...	...	1,301	731	464	2,496	1,989	166	54	...
Cawnpore ...	Cawnpore (Cantonment) ..	...	74	51	58	183	91	9	...	...
Allahabad ...	Allahabad (Cantonment) ...	...	12	2	17	31	7	...	...	...
	Allahabad	S. C. ...	1,029	1,127	549	2,705	1,848	139	...	...
		S. J. ...	11	11	24	46	73	73	157	7
	Total ...	...	1,052	1,140	590	2,782	1,928	212	157	7
Benares ...	Benares (Cantonment) ...	...	22	4	16	42	11	2	...	...
	Benares	S. C. ...	982	802	383	2,167	1,309	106	...	...
		S. J. ...	57	54	74	185	251	130	10	...
	Total ...	...	1,061	860	473	2,394	1,571	238	10	...
	Grand Total ...	...	4,565	3,806	2,108	10,479	7,034	733	221	7

F.—*Showing the work done by the civil courts in* 1887, *in the scheduled districts of Jhánsi, Jalaun and Lalitpur.*

District.	Class of courts.	Suits.				Miscellaneous cases.		Appeals.		Remarks.
		Withdrawn, compromised, confessed, &c.	Decided *ex-parte*.	Contested.	Total.	Application for execution of decrees.	Judicial.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.	
Scheduled districts. Jhánsi ...	Commissioner	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	5	
	Deputy Commissioner ...	1	...	3	4	6	36	89	10	
	Assistant Commissioners, Extra Assistant Commissioners, and Cantonment Courts of Small Causes.	550	92	241	883	582	149	...	...	
	Tahsildárs	966	131	267	1,364	635	131	...	...	
	Total ...	1,517	223	511	2,251	1,173	316	135	15	
Jalaun ...	Commissioner	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	2	
	Deputy Commissioner	4	...	3	7	10	2	78	6	
	Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistant Commissioners.	674	188	272	1,129	768	241	...	...	
	Tahsildárs	701	177	228	1,106	519	113	...	...	
	Total ...	1,379	360	503	2,242	1,297	356	101	8	
Lalitpur ...	Commissioner	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	
	Deputy Commissioner ...	3	1	14	18	15	45	48	5	
	Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistant Commissioners.	235	28	60	323	103	23	...	...	
	Tahsildárs	355	57	112	524	208	25	...	...	
	Total ...	593	86	186	865	326	93	57	5	
	Grand Total ...	3,489	669	1,200	5,358	2,796	765	293	28	

G.—*Statement showing court-fees (other than process fees) realized in the civil courts in the North-Western Provinces during the year* 1887.

District.	Ad valorem fees.			Fixed fees.		Gross fees realized.	Refunds under sections 10, 13, 14, 15, Act VII. of 1870 and under Notification No. 2768, dated 30th April, 1874, and under Rule 58, or C. O. No. 12 of 1882.	Net fees realized.	Remarks.
	On plaints, memoranda of appeals, and applications for review of judgment.	On copies and translations.	On certificates, probates, and letters of administration.	On plaints and memoranda of appeals.	On other documents.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
Saháranpur	97,820 1 0	5,058 10 0	2,756 0 9	1,259 0 0	21,178 14 0	1,28,072 9 0	289 2 0	1,27,783 7 0	
Meerut	1,26,175 14 0	5,079 0 0	3,167 0 0	1,332 12 0	24,010 8 0	1,59,765 2 0	101 2 0	1,59,664 0 0	
Aligarh	97,110 1 0	3,987 7 0	1,755 0 0	510 0 0	23,586 14 0	1,26,949 6 0	675 10 9	1,26,273 12 0	
Moradabad	87,111 15 0	5,321 3 0	1,592 0 0	2,210 8 0	24,337 7 0	1,20,573 1 0	792 0 0	1,19,781 1 0	
Bareilly	68,573 9 0	2,780 14 0	508 0 0	317 0 0	13,943 12 0	86,123 3 0	124 0 0	85,999 3 0	
Sháhjahánpur	69,514 11 0	4,097 2 0	458 0 0	1,113 8 0	19,254 0 0	94,437 5 0	307 4 0	94,130 1 0	
Agra	76,868 6 0	3,656 12 0	1,563 0 0	600 0 0	18,276 8 0	1,00,964 10 0	426 11 0	1,00,537 15 0	
Farukhabad	37,944 0 0	3,127 12 0	787 0 0	80 0 0	11,889 7 0	53,828 3 0	463 12 0	53,364 7 0	
Mainpuri	77,180 4 0	4,699 4 0	1,788 0 0	625 0 0	19,678 12 0	1,03,971 4 0	485 6 0	1,03,485 14 0	
Jhánsi	41,445 4 0	1,314 4 0	3,410 0 0	232 12 0	8,349 6 0	54,751 10 0	669 0 0	54,082 10 0	
Cawnpore	77,470 3 0	3,835 1 0	3,356 8 0	551 8 0	16,404 0 0	1,01,617 4 0	543 12 0	1,01,073 8 0	
Bánda	15,636 6 0	868 6 0	789 0 0	100 0 0	4,781 2 0	22,174 14 0	16 14 0	22,158 0 0	
Allahabad	45,416 5 0	1,942 5 0	2,148 0 0	547 12 0	11,033 12 0	61,088 2 0	22 8 0	61,065 10 0	
Jaunpur	26,924 14 0	4,945 8 0	80 0 0	1,685 2 0	12,362 14 0	45,998 6 0	110 10 0	45,887 12 0	
Gorakhpur	89,273 7 0	11,585 8 0	496 0 0	3,269 8 0	29,150 12 0	1,33,775 3 0	153 12 0	1,33,621 7 0	
Azamgarh	32,605 6 0	3,779 5 0	377 0 0	851 0 0	14,768 8 0	52,381 3 0	118 2 0	52,263 1 0	
Mirzapur	22,529 0 0	795 8 0	233 0 0	205 0 0	5,024 6 0	28,786 14 0	...	28,786 14 0	
Benares	50,102 12 0	1,811 1 0	2,385 0 0	923 0 0	13,350 5 0	68,572 2 0	...	68,572 2 0	
Gházipur	58,806 10 0	5,587 9 0	1,423 0 0	2,285 0 0	23,093 14 0	91,196 1 0	1,382 4 0	89,813 13 0	
Total ...	11,98,509 0 0	74,272 7 0	29,071 8 0	18,698 6 0	3,14,475 1 0	16,35,026 6 0	6,681 13 0	16,28,344 9 0	
High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces ...	1,05,413 0 0	3,124 13 0	5,434 0 0	2,305 0 0	23,981 1 0	140,257 14 0	3,108 15 0	1,37,148 15 0	
Grand Total ...	13,03,922 0 0	77,397 4 0	34,505 8 0	21,003 6 0	3,38,456 2 0	17,75,284 4 0	9,790 12 0	17,65,493 8 0	

H.—Statement showing the income and expenditure of the civil

District.	Income.							
				Not process fees.				
	Net value of stamps (exclusive of those used to denote process fees).	Duty and penalties on instruments not duly stamped.	Fines.	Fees for employment of amíns.	Other fees.	Judicial Record Fund.	Sale proceeds of unclaimed property of intestates (Regulation V of 1790).	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Saháranpur ...	1,27,783 7 0	412 6 0	42 2 0	14,522 8 0	32,489 4 0	6,408 10 0	1,068 0 7	1,82,726 5 7
Meerut ...	1,59,664 0 0	978 9 0	30 4 0	12,967 3 0	37,732 11 0	6,431 4 0	193 15 10	2,17,997 14 10
Aligarh ...	1,26,273 12 0	266 0 0	3 4 0	11,362 12 0	28,783 2 0	4,925 10 0	243 8 3	1,71,858 0 3
Moradabad ...	1,19,781 1 0	405 14 0	99 2 0	12,429 2 0	30,816 3 0	8,159 14 0	195 15 11	1,71,887 3 11
Bareilly ...	85,999 3 0	356 12 0	34 4 0	10,704 6 0	18,706 2 0	3,885 0 9	23 2 6	1,19,708 14 3
Sháhjahánpur ...	94,130 1 0	278 0 0	64 14 0	11,323 10 0	26,190 1 0	5,874 6 0	110 12 2	1,37,971 12 2
Agra ...	1,00,537 15 0	658 6 0	252 8 0	12,124 2 0	26,064 4 0	5,266 5 6	298 13 0	1,45,202 5 6
Farukhabad ...	53,364 7 0	168 4 0	8 12 0	7,012 9 0	16,367 9 0	3,493 4 0	137 4 3	80,552 1 3
Mainpuri ...	1,03,485 14 0	318 14 0	73 12 0	12,043 1 0	24,675 12 0	5,955 0 0	57 15 0	1,46,610 4 0
Jhánsi ...	54,082 10 0	317 14 0	10 12 0	7,018 6 0	12,354 8 0	1,934 14 0	336 15 11	76,055 15 11
Cawnpore ...	1,01,073 8 0	1,026 2 0	428 2 0	8,200 13 0	23,196 4 0	5,413 13 0	1,485 15 2	1,40,824 9 2
Bánda ...	22,158 0 0	57 10 0	69 8 0	2,444 10 0	7,204 6 0	1,391 6 0	271 5 5	33,596 13 5
Allahabad ...	61,065 10 0	604 10 0	137 7 6	5,623 13 0	21,326 15 0	4,148 8 0	544 2 8	93,451 2 2
Jaunpur ...	45,887 12 0	45 8 0	98 0 0	4,336 14 0	13,547 0 0	5,555 12 0	36 1 3	69,506 15 3
Gorakhpur ...	1,33,621 7 0	81 2 0	67 12 0	10,214 13 0	31,138 4 0	7,997 0 0	65 6 3	1,83,185 12 3
Azamgarh ...	52,263 1 0	147 8 0	56 0 0	5,376 4 0	11,172 3 0	4,902 10 0	46 9 5	73,964 3 5
Mirzapur ...	28,786 14 0	238 14 0	2 0 0	1,862 6 0	7,391 2 0	1,520 12 0	274 3 7	40,076 3 7
Benares ...	68,572 2 0	313 14 0	12 0 0	7,692 6 0	14,518 11 0	3,046 3 0	236 1 6	94,391 5 6
Gházipur ...	89,813 13 0	273 14 0	29 6 0	7,486 9 0	22,190 13 0	7,572 14 0	66 13 3	1,27,434 2 3
Total ...	16,28,344 9 0	6,950 1 0	1,519 13 6	1,64,746 3 0	4,05,865 2 0	93,883 2 3	5,693 1 11	23,07,002 0 8
High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces.	1,37,148 15 0	...	...	...	8,495 8 0	5,566 13 9	...	1,51,211 4 9
Grand Total...	17,65,493 8 0	6,950 1 0	1,519 13 6	1,64,746 3 0	4,14,360 10 0	99,450 0 0	5,693 1 11	24,58,213 5 5

courts in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1887.

Expenditure.						Surplus.	Deficit.	Remarks
Salaries of officers presiding over civil courts and of their establishments, the full salaries of the Judges and establishment of the High Court and half the salaries of District and Sessions Judges and their subordinates who are employed on the criminal as well as the civil side being entered.	*Process-serving establishment.*		Amín establishment.	Judicial Record Fund.	Total.			
	(*a*) Central nazír, nazírs, bailiffs, and nazarat office chaprasis.	(*b*) Process-serving peon.						
10	11		12	13	14	15	16	17
Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
65,763 4 11	3,357 4 0	5,822 15 0	4,957 14 0	2,287 15 11	82,189 5 10	1,00,536 15 9	...	
53,362 11 11	2,369 3 4	5,994 10 7	3,674 11 4	2,509 7 9	67,910 12 11	1,50,087 1 11	...	
56,692 7 9	2,938 8 9	6,439 12 5	4,237 13 11	2,391 2 0	72,699 12 10	90,158 3 5	...	
75,568 5 6	3,659 5 7	6,541 9 5	5,598 9 6	3,622 2 3	94,990 0 3	76,897 3 8	...	
48,466 4 10	2,576 13 8	4,194 1 5	3,923 1 7	2,177 13 8	61,338 3 2	58,370 11 1	...	
58,708 12 9	3,778 12 0	5,888 10 1	5,373 0 7	2,547 2 11	76,296 6 4	61,675 5 10	...	
59,525 2 2	3,720 0 0	5,382 2 0	4,512 0 0	3,210 2 3	76,349 6 5	68,852 15 1	...	
49,310 7 7	2,160 0 0	3,481 14 0	3,120 0 0	2,140 15 0	60,513 4 7	20,038 12 8	...	
48,370 3 2	2,760 9 0	5,379 10 0	4,484 5 2	2,955 7 1	63,950 2 5	82,660 1 7	...	
47,718 4 2	3,861 14 0	1,395 0 0	2,860 9 2	1,370 14 2	57,206 9 6	18,849 6 5	...	
47,493 11 5	2,639 0 0	4,749 4 0	3,119 13 4	3,012 10 7	61,014 7 4	79,810 1 10	...	
31,459 9 3	1,487 8 5	1,969 5 4	1,974 9 10	794 14 0	37,585 14 10	...	3,989 1 5	
59,187 15 10	2,760 0 0	4,117 15 10	2,784 0 0	2,956 7 0	71,206 6 8	22,244 11 6	...	
37,722 2 11	1,184 13 0	2,379 11 0	1,968 0 0	2,287 11 8	45,542 6 7	23,964 8 8	...	
60,796 11 5	2,760 0 0	7,530 6 0	4,463 1 8	2,806 9 4	78,356 12 5	1,04,828 15 10	...	
35,114 0 10	1,680 0 0	2,865 5 9	2,544 0 0	2,001 12 6	44,205 3 1	29,759 0 4	...	
27,838 10 9	1,300 15 0	2,090 11 4	1,415 2 0	862 11 0	33,508 2 1	6,568 1 6	...	
39,892 3 9	1,800 0 0	2,363 14 0	2,448 0 0	1,247 5 8	47,751 7 5	46,639 14 1	...	
63,687 0 0	3,105 8 0	5,460 0 0	4,512 0 0	3,649 13 7	80,414 5 7	47,019 12 8	...	
9,66,678 2 11	50,200 2 9	84,046 14 2	67,870 12 1	44,233 2 4	12,13,029 2 3	10,97,961 15 10	39,89 1 5	
3,50,081 6 2	...	...	...	...	3,50,081 6 2	...	1,98,870 1 5	
13,16,759 9 1	50,200 2 9	84,046 14 2	67,870 12 1	44,233 2 4	15,63,110 8 5	10,97,961 15 10	2,02,859 2 10	

* Of this Rs. 30,000 to be debited to criminal justice.